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Sir:

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the interview granted by the Examiner on December 11, 2001. In the Interview, the Examiner presented two new references and indicated that an •Office Action would follow based on the new references. In the interview, applicants requested that the Examiner list the references cited in the previous interview summary on a PTO-892 form so that they would appear on the face of the patent.

In a telephone call on December 13, 2001, the Examiner called the undersigned attorney of record and indicated that, in view of the forthcoming Office Action based on the new references, applicants did not need to file a reply to the Office Action dated September 17, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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